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SKETCH of an ACT for the Defence of the BRITISH *Colonies in* NORTH-AMERICA.

WHEREAS the preſent Exigency requires the ſtricteſt Union between the ſeveral *Britiſh* Colonies in *North-America* for their common Defence, Be it enacted, That the Governors, Councils, General Aſſemblies, and all other Perſons within thoſe Colonies, ſhall, for the Space of —— Years from the Time of paſſing this Act, be in all Things ſubject to the Orders of one Captain and Governor-General, to be commiſſioned by his Majeſty in Council; and this under the Penalty of forfeiting their Governments, Offices, Places, Privileges, and Charters, during his Majeſty's Pleaſure.

And whereas the preſent Neceſſity of raiſing a ſufficient Army for the Defence of the ſaid Colonies is ſo very Urgent, as not to admit of Time for the Calling their ſeveral Aſſemblies, and their agreeing among themſelves upon the reſpective Quotas and Proportions of Men and Monies neceſſary towards the ſaid Armament, Be it farther enacted, That the Colony commonly called —— ſhall forthwith raiſe, and compleatly furniſh with all neceſſary Arms, Stores, Ammunitions, Proviſions, and Artillery, a Body of —— Men, Officers included; the Colony commonly called ——, a Body of ——, [*and ſo on for each Colony*] making in the Whole an Army of —— Thouſand Men, to be under the Command and Direction of the ſaid Captain, and Governor-General, any Law, Cuſtom, Charter, or Privilege, to the contrary notwithſtanding.

Provided nevertheleſs, That if the Regulation above recited ſhall, upon humble Repreſentation made to his Majeſty in Council, be made appear to be in any Reſpect grievous or unequal with Regard to any of the ſaid Colonies, it ſhall be lawful for his Majeſty to order ſuch Alterations to be made therein as to his Majeſty ſhall ſeem meet: Provided that till his Majeſty ſhall direct any Alteration, the ſaid Regulation be complied with, even by ſuch Colony as may think itſelf aggrieved.

Provided alſo, That over and above the reſpective Quotas of Men and Monies to be raiſed, by Virtue of this Act for a general and principal Army, it ſhall be lawful for all the ſaid Colonies to raiſe whatever Men and Money they ſhall judge neceſſary for the Defence and Safety of ſuch Colony, to be entirely at the Diſpoſal of the reſpective Governments of ſuch Colony, any Thing in this Act to the contrary notwithſtanding.

This Act to be in Force —— Years, and to the End of the next Seſſion of Parliament.

Miſcellaneous Obſervations, by GEORGE SAVILLE, *Marquis of* HALIFAX.

TO Love, and to be in Love with any Thing, are Things as differing, as good Senſe and Impertinence. When we once go beyond bare Liking, we are in Danger of parting with good Senſe; and it is not eaſy for good Senſe to get ſo far as Liking.

When by Habit a Man cometh to have a bargaining Soul, its Wings are cut, ſo that it can never ſoar. It bindeth Reaſon an Apprentice to Gain, and inſtead of a Director, maketh it a Drudge.

The being kind to a Liar, is abetting a Treaſon againſt Mankind. A Man is to inform the firſt Magiſtrate, that he may be clapp'd up. Lies are embroidered with Promiſes and Excuſes. A known Liar ſhould be Out-lawed in a well-ordered Government. A Man that renounceth Truth, runneth away from his Trial in the World. The Uſe of Talking is almoſt loſt in the World by the Habit of Lying. A Man that doth not tell all the Truth, ought to be hanged for a Clipper. Half the Truth is often as arrant a Lye, as can be made. It is the more Dexterous, but not the leſs criminal Kind of Lying.

Names to Men of Senſe are no more than Fig-Leaves; to the Generality they are thick Coverings that hide the Nature of Things from them. Fools turn good Senſe upon its Head, they take Names for Things, and Things only for Names.

A Man who is Maſter of Patience, is Maſter of every Thing elſe. He that can tell how to bear in the right Place, is Maſter of every Body he dealeth with.

Poſitive is the Perfection of a Coxcomb, he is then come to his full Growth.

It ſheweth Mens Nature, that when they are pampered in any Kind, they are very apt to play jadiſh Tricks. One of the Tricks of any Creature that is wanton, is to kick what is next them.

Every Thing that doth us good is ſo apt to do us hurt too, that it is a ſtrong Argument for Men to be quiet. If Men would think more, they would act leſs. The greateſt Part of the Buſineſs of the World, is the Effect of not Thinking.

Moſt Men put their Reaſon out to Service to their Will. The Maſter and the Man are perpetually falling out. A third Man will Hazard a Beating, if he goes about to part them. Nothing hath an uglier Look to us than Reaſon, when it is not of our Side. We quarrel ſo often with it, that it maketh us afraid to come near it. A Man that doth not uſe his Reaſon, is a tame Beaſt; a Man that abuſes it, is a wild one.

It is a ſelf-flattering Contradiction, that wiſe Men deſpiſe the Opinion of Fools, and yet are proud of having their Eſteem.

Self-Love, rightly defined, is far from being a Fault. A Man that loveth himſelf right, will do every Thing elſe right.

A Man who doth not think he is puniſhed when he is blamed, is too much hardened to be ever reformed. The Court of Shame hath lately loſt much of its Juriſdiction. It ought by Right both to judge in the firſt Inſtance, and to exclude all Appeals from it. Shame is a Diſeaſe of the laſt Age, this ſeemeth to be cured of it.

Singularity may be good Senſe at home, but it muſt not go much abroad. It is a Commendation to be that which a Crowd of miſtaken Fools call Singular. There can hardly be a ſeverer Thing ſaid to a Man in this Age, than that he is like the Reſt of the World.

Slander would not ſtick, if it had not always ſomething to lay hold of. A Man who can allow himſelf the Liberty to ſlander, hath the World too much at his Mercy. But the Man that deſpiſeth Slander, deſerveth it.

Speakers in Public ſhould take more Pains to hold in their Invention than to raiſe it. Invention is apt to make ſuch Sallies, that it cannot ſecure its Retreat. A patient Hearer is a ſure Speaker. Men are angry when others do not hear them, yet they have more Reaſon to be afraid when they do.

Miſpending a Man's Time is a Kind of Self-Homicide, it is making Life to be of no Uſe.

Truth is not only ſtifled by Ignorance, but concealed out of Caution of Intereſt; ſo if it had not a Root of Immortality, it muſt have been long ſince extinguiſhed.

The moſt uſeful Part of Wiſdom is for a Man to give a good Gueſs what others think of him. It is a dangerous Thing to gueſs Partially, and a melancholy Thing to gueſs Right. Nothing would more contribute to make a Man wiſe, than to have always an Enemy in his View. A wiſe Man may have more Enemies than a weak one, but he will not ſo much feel the Weight of them. Indeed the being wiſe doth either make Men our Friends, or diſcourage them from being our Enemies. Wiſdom is only a comparative Quality, it will not bear a ſingle Definition.

A Man hath too little Heat, or Wit, or Courage, if he hath not ſometimes more than he ſhould. Juſt enough of a good Thing is always too little. Long Life giveth more Marks to ſhoot at, and therefore old Men are leſs well thought of, than thoſe who have not been ſo long upon the Stage. Other Mens Memories retain the ill, whilſt the good Things done by an old Man, eaſily ſlip out of them. Old Men have in ſome Degree their Repriſals upon younger, by making nicer Obſervations upon them, by Virtue of their Experience.

LONDON, *February* 3.

WE hear from Aberdeen, that on Thurſday Se'nnight a Spermaceti Whale was caſt aſhore on the Sands of Belhelvie, about ſix Miles from that Place. The Length of this Fiſh is 62 Feet, 45 Feet in Circumference, and the Breadth of her Tail 16 Feet. The under Jaw meaſures in Length 9 Feet and an Half, with a Row of Teeth on each Side, and the upper Jaw has no Teeth, but is full of Sockets to receive thoſe on the other Jaw. The Teeth are four Inches in Length, as thick at the Root as a Man's Wriſt. It is thought there may be as much Blubber as will produce from eight to ten Tons of good Oil, beſides Spermaceti to a conſiderable Value.

Letters from Paris, of the 27th of January, bring Advice, that at Five in the Morning, ſome Officers of the City Watch, purſuant to the Orders they had received in the Night, repaired to the Houſes of ſixteen Members of the Parliament of Paris that had reſigned their Places, and ſerved them with Letters de Cachet, exiling them to various Towns, with an Injunction to ſet out in 24 Hours; in which Interval they were not allowed to ſtir out of Doors, nor to ſee any Body but the Perſons of their Houſhold; the Officers were charged to ſtay with them till the Moment of their Departure, and to accompany them 60 Miles on the Road from Paris; after which they were to let them proceed to the reſpective Places of their Exile. The whole Town is alarmed at this Affair; and all the Lawyers, as well as the People, are ſo diſcontented, that the Grand Chamber of the Parliament can get no Attornies nor Advocates to bring any Cauſes before it.

When the Tranſports with the Forces from Minorca were in the Bay of Biſcay, on their Return to England, and the Officers taking the Air upon Deck, a little Boy, of eight Years old, the only Son of Captain D——, of Cornwallis's Regiment, who was playing with a Soldier's Boy of his own Age, by a ſudden Roll of the Ship, the Sea running high, with a great Swell, as is common there, fell over-board in Sight of his Father and Mother: The poor Woman, in her Diſtraction, was madly following her Child, but was held by Colonel R——. A Soldier who was near the Boy, as he generally was (being very fond of him) in an Inſtant pulled off his Coat and Shoes, and nobly threw himſelf into the Sea after him. The Confuſion was ſo great, that not a Soul thought of keeping their Eye upon the Boy, to mark which Way the Sea carried him, except his little Play-Fellow, who never took his Eye from him; and by pointing directed the Soldier to him, who luckily got to him, and took him in one Hand, ſwimming with the other, and had the Preſence of Mind to tear open the Boy's Shirt Collar. The Ship was brought to, and the Boat got out; but that was a Work of Time in a rolling Sea, when the Veſſel went above five Miles an Hour. The Boat took them up juſt as the poor Fellow was ſpent. The little Boy, when brought on board, was to Appearance dead; but by proper

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per Care, in about two Hours recovered: when he laughing told his Mother, if ſhe would not be frightened, he would tell her a Dream he had in the Night; (for ſo it appeared to him) and then related all that had happened to him. The generous and heroic Soldier is promoted to be a Serjeant.

March 12. It is ſaid that a certain great Perſon, who at preſent engages the Attention of this Country, as well as the greateſt Part of Europe, while at his Houſe at Hayes, was reſorted to by Perſons of the higheſt Rank, to expreſs their Satisfaction at his Majeſty's Choice of him for their Deliverer. Two noble Dukes, in the moſt eminent Stations, paying their Reſpects one Day, and ſtaying late, were interrupted by a Servant acquainting his Maſter that Dinner was on the Table. Mr. P*** could not avoid aſking their Graces to be Partakers; "*though, my Lords*" (ſays he) "*my Mode of Life is ſo different from*" "*your Graces, that I can ſcarce flatter myſelf with*" "*the Hopes of your Company; but if you can bear*" "*the Sight of a Leg of Mutton and Pudding, you*" "*will find them in the next Room, with an hearty*" "*Welcome.*" The two Dukes readily accepted the Offer, and after emptying the Diſhes, and a Bottle of old Port, returned to Town full of Aſtoniſhment to find Nature ſo eaſily ſatisfied; confeſſing to each other, they never made ſo good a Dinner, and determined inſtantly to diſmiſs their French Cooks and Claret.

Glaſgow, Jan. 17. Thurſday laſt died, at his Houſe in Kirkland of Renfrew, James Duncan, Farmer, who lived to the extraordinary Age of ſome Months more than 104 Years: He was fit for moſt Buſineſs about his Farm till within theſe laſt three Years; bound his own Corn, after ſeven Reapers, every Harveſt, till Ninety-nine; he had all his Life an almoſt uninterrupted Health, never was Sick but once of a Fever, of which he recovered by the uncommon Cure of a ſtrong Doſe of Rum Punch; he lived ſoberly and laboriouſly all his Life, had deſervedly a fair honeſt Character, and was often very facetious after he was an Hunderd Years of Age: He retained all his Faculties till within theſe ten Months, and ſo much Strength as to enable him to riſe once a Day till his Death.

KINGSTON, (in Jamaica) May 7.

A few Days ago arrived here the Blakeney Privateer belonging to New-York, Nicholas Horton, Commander, mounting 10 Carriage Guns, 3 Pounders, and 65 Men; who on the 27th of laſt Month fell in (off the Eaſt End of this Iſland) with a large French Privateer, mounting 12 Carriage Guns, 6 Pounders, and 120 Men; whereupon an Engagement immediately enſued, and was very hot on both Sides. Captain Horton put 23 of his Men in his Craft, in order to cut the Frenchman off his Wind, ſo that there were only 37 Hands on board the Blakeney when ſhe firſt engaged; nevertheleſs, the Battle laſted with great Fury for two Hours and an Half; but Captain Horton finding the Frenchman's Metal too heavy for him, he reſolutely and bravely laid him on board, at which Time he received a Shot in his Bow-ſprit, which totally diſabled him. The Frenchman perceiving his Diſtreſs, and knowing he could not make Sail after him, he took that Opportunity to haul his Wind to the Southward, and ſo got clear. Captain Horton had 6 Men killed, and 8 wounded, two of which are in a very dangerous Way; ſeveral Muſket Balls went through his Hat, and his Veſſel is greatly damaged both in her Sails and Rigging, ſo that he was obliged to put back to Port-Royal to refit. It is not doubted but the Frenchman ſuffered greatly, as there was a Man at the Blakeney's Maſt-head the whole Engagement, who obſerved there were ſeveral dead Bodies thrown overboard, and ſcarce ten Men appeared on his Deck at the Time the Frenchman made off.

Portſmouth, (in New-Hampſhire) June 3.

We hear from Fort Halifax, at the Eaſtward, that one Day laſt Week, as four Men and a Boy were going up the River, they were fired upon by 12 Indians, who wounded the four Men, ſo that one is like to die: The Boy fired and killed one of the Indians, and by timely Aſſiſtance from the Fort, prevented the dead Indian from being carried off, and by that Means ſaved his Scalp.

Extract of a Letter from Black River, in Jamaica, dated April 15.

"*—I ſuppoſe, e'er this comes to Hand, you'll hear of the Danger this Iſland is in;—for we are certain of four Men of War, and two Frigates being arrived at Hiſpaniola; and we hear by a Rhode-Iſland Captain, who has given his Affidavit, that he fell in with* 20 *large Ships, among which was a French Flag, and we are in hourly Expectation of hearing that they are at Port-Royal, where they have made as good Defence as poſſible, for all the Men of War are well mann'd, and ready to receive them;—the Merchants Ships of Force are all hawled along Side of the Men of War to lend a Hand.*"

BOSTON, *June* 6.

By a Letter from John Townſend, Maſter of a Schooner belonging to Rhode-Iſland, dated at St. Thomas's, the 18th of April laſt, we are informed, that in his Paſſage from Barbados, 6 Days after he left that Iſland, he had the Misfortune to be taken by a French Privateer of 4 Carriage and 6 Swivel Guns, with 33 Men; who took him, his Mate, and two of his People, on board the Privateer, and put ſix Frenchmen in the Schooner, and ſent her into St. Thomas's the Night following; where, after ſhe had been at Anchor about 2 or 3 Hours, 5 Men from an Engliſh Privateer Brig belonging to St. Kitts, and about 20 Men from the Shore, who left another Engliſh Privateer and in a particular Manner, without any Commiſſion, cut the Schooner's Cables, and carried her out of the Harbour from under the Daniſh Fort, notwithſtanding it fired a Number of Guns at them:——The next Day Capt. Ellery, of a Snow Privateer from Boſton, came up with her, and carried her into Tortola, where all the Pirates that had taken her ran away; and 'tis thought they hove overboard 3 Frenchmen that were on board the Schooner.——The French took every Thing from the Maſter, except what he had upon his Back; and he intended, that Day he wrote, for Tortola, to make a Demand of the Schooner.

Laſt Week a large white bottomed Schooner of 14 Guns, ſuppoſed to be a French Privateer, was ſeen to take a Sloop within a League of Block-Iſland; upon which the People there ſent an Account of the ſame to Rhode-Iſland, where, in a few Hours, they equipped a Brig and a Sloop which they ſent in Queſt of her, but we have not yet heard of their Succeſs.

A fiſhing Schooner which arrived laſt Week at Newbury, brought in Capt. Lawrence and his Crew, belonging to the Ship that Capt. Comrin and others ſaw aſhore on the Iſle of Sables (as formerly mentioned) ſhe was bound from Gibraltar for Virginia, but taken by the French, who, after they were aſhore, upon having ſome Difference, fired upon Capt. Lawrence's Men, and wounded two of them, and after taking out ſome of her Effects, proceeded in a Schooner to Louiſburg, leaving all the Engliſh on the Iſland.

On the firſt of April laſt, eleven Men went out upon a Scout after the Enemy, to the North, as far as Arſeguntacook River, when they ſeparated on different Branches; one Party of three Men, on the 16th of May laſt, early in the Morning, advancing towards a Point of Land, were fired upon by five Indians, and two of the Men, viz. Capt. Whitney, and Lieutenant French, both of Dunſtable, were killed, the other named —— Holt, with much Difficulty, got ſafe to North Yarmouth: The others are ſince returned ſafe.

Laſt Week Meſſieurs John Croghill, and James Hodge, received out of the Province Treaſury, Six Hundred Pounds, Lawful Money, for the Scalps of the two Indians, whom they lately killed on an Iſland in Penobſcot Bay, as mentioned in this Paper.

We hear from Piſcataqua, that a Coaſter who arrived there laſt Week from Falmouth, in Caſco-Bay, informed, that he met a Schooner (who had been out on the Scalping Account) going in there, with two Indian Canoes in tow, and a Scalp on a Pole in each; and they were ſaluted by the Fort; he doubts not of their having more Scalps with them, as they deſigned to decoy the Enemy on board, and went well armed for the Purpoſe.

NEW-YORK, *June* 13.

Monday Morning laſt arrived here the Sloop Speedwell, of Rhode-Iſland. She was taken on the 9th of May laſt off Hiſpaniola, by the Privateer Snow Hornet, Capt. Spelling, of this Port, as carrying on a Contraband Trade.

Copy of a Paper found amongſt the Papers in the Poſſeſſion of John Boutin, taken in the Sloop Speedwell, of Rhode-Iſland, in her Paſſage from Port Dauphin, in Hiſpaniola, to Monte Chriſtie, in the ſame Iſland, by the Hornet Privateer, Spelling Maſter, and is as follows.

Capt. John Boutin, Newport, March 7, 1757.

"Our Orders to you are, in Caſe you ſhould happen to meet with a Man of War, private Man of War likewiſe, that ſhould put you out of your Way, or carry you into any other Engliſh Port but this, to proſecute ſaid Captain for Five Thouſand Pounds, Sterling, and draw upon us for the Charges of Proſecution, which we ſhall anſwer with Honour.

EBEN. RICHARDSON,
THO. RICHARDSON,
LEMUEL WYATT."

We hear, that as ſoon as the above Sloop came into Sandy-Hook, proper Care was taken of the Captain and Merchant.

On the 13th of May, four Days after Captain Spelling ſeized the aforementioned Sloop, being in Company with a ſmall Bermuda Privateer, called the Samuel, they fell in with a large French Ship of conſiderable Force, thought to be a Frigate, which they were obliged to fight for ſome Time, when the Samuel ſtruck, and Capt. Spelling having an extraordinary Sailer at Command, he proceeded in Chace of a French Fleet of Merchantmen, which he gained Intelligence of a few Days before.

The ſame Day returned here from a Cruize, the Privateer Sloop Harlequin, Captain Doran, and brought in with her a Brig which ſhe retook the 17th of May laſt. She is called the Salem, one Maſon, Maſter; and was taken by the French two Days before the Harlequin came a-croſs her. She was loaded at Euſtatia with Sugar, Rum, &c.

Yeſterday Morning arrived here the Pliny Privateer Brig, Benjamin Stoddard Commander, from a Cruize of Eight Months, in which ſhe has proved very ſucceſsful; for beſides the rich Ship ſhe carried into So. Carolina, as mentioned ſome Months ago, on the 25th of May laſt, 40 Leagues to the Eaſtward of Bermuda, in Company with the Privateer Brig Waſp, of Halifax, Capt. M'Namara, of 12 Guns; and the King of Pruſſia Privateer Brig, of Rhode-Iſland, of 10 Guns, Capt. Roof, they fell in with a large French Ship of 350 Tons, called Le Amiable Jane, Monſ. Arnaud, Commander; and a Snow of about 150 Tons, called St. Rene, both of whom they took after a ſhort Diſpute. The Ship mounted 16 Four Pounders, and had 50 Men; the Snow mounted 10 Guns, and had 30 Men; both richly laden with Indico, Coffee, Sugar, Cotton, &c. bound from Cape-Francois to Bourdeaux, and had been out 50 Days.——They are under Convoy of the Waſp and King of Pruſſia, ſent to Boſton, where we hope they are ſafe arrived.

The Priſoners taken in the before-mentioned Prizes, inform, That the Brig Dolphin, of Rhode-Iſland, bound from thence to Jamaica; as alſo a Packet-Boat from London to Jamaica; likewiſe, a Guineyman, with 350 Slaves, were all taken by Monſieur Palanqui, in a Privateer Snow of 16 Carriage Guns, the latter End of March laſt, off Hiſpaniola, and carried into Cape-François.

The Young-Batchelor, Samuel Johnſton, of Rhode-Iſland, was taken near Winiba, on the Coaſt of Africa, the 27th of January laſt, by the four French Men of War, mentioned in our laſt, with 60 Slaves on board.

The Caſada Garden, Captain T. Taylor, of Rhode-Iſland alſo, taken by the ſame Ships of War, had when taken 175 Slaves on board.

The Prince of Orange, Jackſon, of Liverpool, was taken by the ſame Ships likewiſe, and had 14,00 lb. of Ivory on board.

PHILADELPHIA, *June* 16.

We hear from Cumberland County, that on Monday, th Sixth Inſtant, two Perſons were killed and ſcalped by the Indians near Shippenſburgh, and that they carried off four Priſoners.

By a Letter from Williamſburg, in Virginia, dated the Fourth Inſtant, there is Advice, that the Day before the Aſſembly of that Province paſſed a Bill for giving Eighty Thouſand Pounds to the King's Uſe.

ANNAPOLIS, *June* 23.

The Two Waggoners whom we mentioned to have been kill'd by the Enemy on the 9th Inſtant, were *Peter Falkner* and *George Long*, who were ſhot and ſcalp'd about a Mile from *Fort-Frederick*.

Laſt Saturday Evening his Excellency our Governor received by Expreſs from the Weſtward, Letters acquainting him that ſome *Cherokees*, who were juſt returned, had brought in an Account, that they ſaw, on this Side the *Valley of Deſtruction*, the Place of General *Braddock*'s fatal Defeat, a large Number of *French* and *Indians*, with ſome Waggons and Artillery, on their March towards our Frontiers: And we hear the ſame Account was ſent by Expreſs to Col. *Stanwyx*.

Next Day his Excellency, with ſome Gentlemen of this Place, ſet out for *Frederick* County.

On Monday Morning a Number of young Gentlemen of this Place, well Arm'd, went Volunteers from hence, to join what other Force is or may be raiſed for our immediate Defence.

[*Juſt as committing this to the Preſs, we are informed, That the above-mentioned Body of the Enemy, conſiſted of only about* 300 *Men.*]

Part of a Letter from a Gentleman at *Winchester*, dated the 15th Instant, to One here, "Lieutenant *Baker*, of the *Virginia* Troops, returned "the 10th to *Fort-Cumberland*. He had been out "with *Swallow*, a famous *Cherokee*, with 14 *Indians*. About 35 Miles from *Fort Duquesne* they "met a Party of 10 *Frenchmen*, as they were returning from our Frontiers. This Party had "the Day before separated from 60 *Shawanese*. "After giving the Enemy their Fire, the *Cherokees* threw away their Guns, and ran in with "their Tomahawks. The *French* lost Six Men, "Five were killed, and One taken Prisoner. The "Prisoner is an Ensign, and Two of the Killed "were also Officers. The *Cherokees* lost their great "Warrior *Swallow*, and another of them was "shot through both Thighs."

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OSNABRIGS, brown Rolls, *Russia* Drab, brown Hollands, *Russia* Sheeting, *Irish* Sheeting and Linen of all Kinds, bordered Lawn Handkerchiefs, fine *India* Chintz, great Variety of printed Callicoes, white Callicoes, Muslins, and Humhums, plain and spotted Lawns, Cambricks and Kentings, Silk Handkerchiefs, Cotton Romals, Chilloes, Nankeens, *China* and *Persian* Taffaties, strip'd and brocaded Ditto, Table Cloths, and Napkinning, Buckrams, all Sorts of Check Linen, Cotton Hollands, dyed Fustians and fine Jeans, Bed-Ticks and Bunts, Bed-Ticking, Cotton Counterpanes, Broad-Cloths, Forest-Cloths, Bear-skins, *German* Serges, Sagathies, Druggets, Frizes, Emboss'd Serges, strip'd Flannel, fine spotted and white Ditto, Kerseys, a large Quantity of red and blue, and other colour'd Half-Thicks, a large Quantity of Match-Coat Blankets, Fearnoughts, Shalloons of all Colours, Womens Scarlet and Cloth-colour'd Cloaks, *Welch* Cotton and Pennistone of all Colours, *Devonshire* Kersey, Mens Great Coats, strip'd Flannel Waistcoats, Pea Jackets, great Variety of Mens Stuffs for Summer Wear, Camblets, Callimancoes, Tammies, Variety of Womens Yard-wide and other figured Stuffs, Mourning and Hat-band Crape, Bombazine, black Alamode, Amens, Serge Denim, Hair Shags, corded and flowered Paduasoy, Everlastings, great Variety of the best Trimmings, Mens, Womens, Boys, Girls, and Childrens Shoes, some of the best Kinds; Mens, Womens, Boys, Girls, and Childrens Worsted and Thread Hose; Mens Worsted, Cotton, and Silk Caps; all Colours of Worsted Patterns for Breeches; a large Quantity of Mens and Boys Felt Hats, Mens and Boys Castor Hats, Womens plain and furr'd Hats; a large Quantity of Hair and Silk Cockades; Threads of all Sorts, some very fine; Tapes, Ferrets, and Ribbands, Gauze Handkerchiefs, *French* Wax Necklaces, Silk Bonnets and Hats, and other Haberdashery; great Variety of Cutlery; Writing Paper, Post Paper, Family Bibles, and large Common Prayer Books, bound Books, from 2 to 6 Quires, and other Stationary; all Sorts of Nails and Brads, Hob Nails, Hand-Saws, Lathing-Hammers, Chizzels and Gouges, Padlocks, Gimblets, ✠ Cut and Smiths Files; a large Quantity of the best Sickles; Grass, Bramble, and Grubbing Scythes; Frying Pans, Spades, Iron-Pots, and Skillets; Hoes, Axes, and other Iron Ware; China, Glass, and Earthen Ware; Gunpowder, Shot, Bar-Lead, Pistol-Bullets; Fowling Pieces, Pistols, and Hangers; fine *French* Flints; fine Rappee Snuff, *Weston's* and *Arnold's Scots* Snuff; a large Quantity of good Bohea Tea, and Loaf Sugar; Pepper, Spiceries, Blue, Indigo, and other Grocery; Wool, Cotton, and Tow Cards; Pewter and Brasiery; Tin Ovens, Watering Pots, and other Tin Ware; Mens Saddles, Bridles, Girths, Whips, &c. a large Quantity of Materials fit for a Saddler; *Florence* Oil, Soap, Candles, Window Glass 8 by 10; *Barbadoes* Rum, *Muscovado* and Clay'd Sugar; Cordage, Trace Rope, and Leading-Lines; Twine and Log Lines; Mops, Brooms, Scrubbing Brushes, Hearth Brooms, Sifters, and other Turnery; fine (*Jesuits*) Bark, and other Medicines; Linseed Oil, &c. &c. &c. STEPHEN WEST.

I have also arrived in these Ships, Patterns of the most fashionable Stuffs for Mens and Womens Wear, which may be seen at either of the Places abovementioned; and those who incline to bespeak any of them, may have them imported by the next Shipping.

TO BE SOLD FOR READY MONEY,

On Tuesday in August *Court, at* Cambridge, *to the Highest Bidder, by* H. CALLISTER, *who has a special Power from the Proprietor for that Purpose upon Record,*

A TRACT of LAND called *Shadwell*, alias *Pig Point*, now the Property and in the Possession of F. CUNLIFFE and SONS, Esquires, containing 500 Acres, more or less, lying in *Dorchester* County on *Choptank* River, seven Miles below the Bridge, commodiously situated for the purchasing Pork, Corn, &c. with a Store-House, Dwelling-House, &c. but much out of Repair, and but little clear'd Ground. Those who are inclined to purchase have Time to view the Premises. All Arrears of Quit-Rents have been paid down to about the End of the last Year.

Onion's Iron-Works, *June* 23, 1757.

NOTWITHSTANDING that repeated Requests have been made to all Persons indebted to the Estate of the late Mr. *Stephen Onion*, of *Baltimore* County, deceased, to come and pay their respective Ballances to his Executrix, there are yet many who have paid no Regard to it; wherefore, this is to give Notice to all such Persons, to come and pay, or give their Obligations for the Payment thereof, in a very short Time.

Also, all Persons indebted to the late Mrs. *Onion*, are hereby requested to come and do likewise.

And, all such as do not herewith comply, may (without Respect of Persons) expect such Measures will be taken, as will occasion the least Trouble to the Executrix aboveSaid, and to

1 3rd 1758. JOSEPH SMITH.

To be SOLD, at the House of Mr. Cary *in* Baltimore-Town, *on Monday the First Day of* August *next,*

ABOUT One Hundred and Thirty Acres of good Meadow Land, adjoining to *Baltimore-Town*, being Part of *Cole's-Harbour*. To be laid out into Lots of One Acre each; and the Purchasers to Buy as many as they shall think fit.

1 Nov 20 THOMAS SLIGH.

N. B. At the same Time will be Sold, a Tract of Land, lying about 20 Miles from *Baltimore-Town*, on the Waggon Road to *Connawauga*, containing Four Hundred and Forty Acres, some good Meadow Ground, and a good Orchard.

June 23, 1757.

WHEREAS *Sarah Maccalle*, the Wife of me the Subscriber, living near the Head of *South-River*, hath been a long Time Eloped from me, and may possibly run me in Debt: This is therefore to forewarn all Persons from Trusting the said *Sarah* on my Account, for I will not Pay any Debt of her Contracting after this Date.

1 Jul. JOHN MACCALLE.

Upper-Marlborough, June 9, 1757.

DESERTED from a Recruiting Party of the *Maryland* Forces, commanded by Lieutenant *Duncan Mc Rae*, *Joseph Mebugh*, who was born in the lower Part of *Prince-George's* County, near *Patuxent*: He is about 25 Years of Age, 5 Feet 9 Inches high, of a dark Complexion, has black Eyes, and his Hair was black, but was very lately cut off.

Whoever will apprehend and have the said Deserter secured in any Goal within this Province, or deliver him to any Officer of the aforesaid Forces, shall have Two PISTOLES Reward, paid by Captain RICHARD PEARIS, or Lieutenant Mc RAE.

DESERTED from *Francis Ware's* Company, the 14th of this Instant *June*, on his March to *Fort-Frederick*, *Patrick Crame*, a *Scotchman*, aged 25 Years, 5 Feet 4¼ Inches high, of a brown Complexion, has dark Eyes, and black Hair, middling long, has a down Look, and is mark'd with the Small-Pox: Had on when he went away, a Jacket made of a *Dutch* Blanket, grey Country-made Stockings, and Shoes about half worn.

Whoever takes up the said Deserter, and delivers him to any of the Recruiting-Officers in this Province, or contrives him to *Fort-Frederick*, shall have Two PISTOLES Reward, paid by

1 FRANCIS WARE.

THERE is in the Possession of *Robert Johnson*, at a Plantation of *Benjamin Tasker*, Esq; near *Annapolis*, taken up as a Stray, a small Black Mare, branded on the near Buttock A I (joined in one), and on the off Buttock HD (joined together).

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges. 1

THERE is at the Plantation of *Kensey Johns*, at *West-River*, taken up as a Stray, H a little Flea-bitten Mare, branded I M, on the off Buttock and Shoulder; and has a Dark Bay Yearling Colt with her, neither dock'd nor branded. 1

The Owner may have them again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

SIX PISTOLES REWARRD.

RAN away from the Subscriber, a Negro Man named *Lot*, about 30 Years of Age, his Knees incline together, his Left Knee standing in somewhat more than the Right, and as he walks hath a Cast of his Head to the Left. Had on, a white Cotton Jacket, and an old blue Cloth one under it, a new Osnabrigs Shirt, white Cotton Breeches, coarse, thick, white Yarn Stockings, and a Pair of strong Country-made Shoes, with many Hob-Nails in the Soles.

He lately belonged to one Dr. *Piles*, living at *Pamunkey*, near *Patowmack*, and hath been seen at his late Master's, and in that Neighbourhood, since he ran away.

Whoever apprehends the said Negro, and brings him to *Queen-Anne*, shall receive Six Pistoles Reward, paid by

CHARLES HAMMOND, junior.

THE Subscribers having been a long Time confined for Debt in *Anne-Arundel* County Goal, and not having wherewith to redeem their Bodies, hereby give Notice, That they intend to apply to the next General Assembly for an Act for their Relief. 1

RICHARD BEARD,
JAMES CANN.

THERE is at a Quarter of Mr. *John Dorsey's*, junior, on *Linganore* in *Frederick* County, taken up as a Stray, a middle-siz'd Sorrel Mare, branded on one of her Buttocks ЯB (join'd in one), and has a Sprig Tail. 1

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

JUST PUBLISHED,

And to be SOLD by the Printer hereof,

THE LAWS made at the last Session of ASSEMBLY, convened at *Baltimore-Town*.

IMPORTED in the EAGLE, *and to be Sold Wholesale and Retail, at the very lowest Prices, by*

CHARLES OSBORNE,

DRUGGIST from LONDON, *at the* Golden-Pestle, *opposite Mr.* Joseph Trotter's, *in* Second-Street, PHILADELPHIA,

A LARGE Assortment of DRUGS, Chymical and Galenical MEDICINES: Also *Daffy's* Elixir, *James's* Powder, *Bateman's* Drops, *Godfrey's* Cordial, *Anderson's* Pills, *Squire's* Elixir, Spirits of Scurvy-Grass, *Bostock's* Elixir, *Lockyer's* Pills, *British* Oil, *Stoughton's* Bitters, with Nipple Glasses, Pots, Pill Boxes, Vials, &c. &c. 2

N. B. Masters of Ships, not carrying Surgeons with them, may be furnished with MEDICINE CHESTS and DIRECTIONS. Families living distant from a Doctor, may be furnished also with Chests of all Sizes, at very low Rates.

TO BE SOLD,

For Sterling, Gold, or Paper Currency, very reasonably, by the Subscribers, living near Conococheague, *in* Frederick *County,*

A TRACT of LAND, called *Parks's Hall Divided*, lying near *Moses Chapline's* in the said County, containing 1550 Acres. The Land is very rich, is well wooded and watered, and a great Part of it may be made good Meadow-Land. It will be sold together, or in Lots. The Title is indisputable. 2

Any Persons inclinable to purchase, may be shewn the Land, and the Terms of Sale, by applying to

VAN SWERINGEN;
JOHN VAN SWERINGEN.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Isaac Jones*, in *Anne-Arundel* County, taken up as a Stray, a small Bay Horse, branded on the near Buttock with a blind Brand, has a short Sprig Tail, and his near hind Foot is white. X

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE

THERE is at the Plantation of *John Brightwell*, living near *Linganore* Chapel, in *Frederick* County, taken up as a Stray, a middle-siz'd Strawberry Roan Mare, branded on the near Shoulder with something like the Bottom of a Woman's Stirrup Iron, with a Top to it; she is about 5 Years old, with a grey Star in her Forehead.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of *John Quirk*, near *Rock-Creek*, in *Frederick* County, taken up as a Stray, a Sorrel Mare, about 13 Hands high, 4 or 5 Years old, branded on the near Buttock with something like this ++, and has a small Blaze in her Forehead.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of *John Martin*, living on the *Bear Ground* Hundred, in *Anne-Arundel* County, taken up as a Stray, a Dark Bay Gelding, with a few grey Hairs, he has a small white Spot on his off Flank, is a natural Pacer, about 12½ Hands high, is neither dock'd or branded, and appears to be about 3 Years old.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

H. CALLISTER, Agent for FOSTER CUNLIFFE and SONS, Esqrs. desires all Debtors to their Concern at *Oxford*, to make Payment in Cash or Tobacco, or in Wheat so long as he is willing to take it; and those who are not able to make immediate Payment, are desired to come and settle.

As he is conscious of having hitherto treated his Debtors with exemplary Lenity, notwithstanding the malicious Aspersions on his Character by a Set of abandon'd and ungrateful Wretches, whose desperate Circumstances constrain'd him to take the Steps necessary to secure the Interest he has Charge of, and such Aspersions have been with more Ill-Nature fomented by others: As it must 3 be evident to all dispassionate and discerning honest Men, that he has hitherto adhered to the strictest Rules of Humanity in collecting the Debts due to his Constituents, and given their Debtors the fairest and happiest Alternative in the Method of Payments that the Heart of an honest Man can desire, and which they cannot with Justice claim, having constantly given higher Prices to his Debtors than he could purchase for of others, and taking a losing Commodity; he is still Consistent, and will have all the Patience a reasonable Man can wish, on taking Bonds, or good Surety, where the Circumstances of the Debtor appear to him precarious. This he is induced to from the Consideration of the present Times bearing hard on many, and purely for their own Sakes, for he has had his Patience already tried and abused, and does not think himself obliged to suspend the Rigour of Justice. This, it is hoped, People will reflect upon, and alter their Conduct with regard to him.

He has still on Hand, a considerable Quantity of *European* and *West-India* GOODS, both old and fresh, which he will sell cheap for ready Tobacco, Cash, or Wheat.

June 9, 1757.

ALL Persons indebted to the PAPER CURRENCY OFFICE, are required to pay the INTEREST due on their 3 BONDS within Six Months from the Date hereof, otherwise the Bonds will be put in Suit.

Signed per *Order of the Commissioners*,
RICHARD DORSEY, Clerk
of the Paper Currency Office.

JUST IMPORTED,

In the SALLY-BROWN, *Captain* JOHN JOHNSON, *from* LONDON,

A LARGE Assortment of *European* and *East-India* GOODS, suitable for the SEASON; to be sold by the Subscriber, at very 3 reasonable Rates. Also Cordage and Cables of all Sizes, Anchors, Sail Duck, Oakum, Ship's Compasses, Lines, Twine, and all Sorts of Ship Chandlery. JAMES DICK.

JUST IMPORTED,

In the LEE, *Captain* JOHNSTOUN, *from* LONDON, *and to be Sold by the Subscribers, at their Store, adjoining to the Parade, in* ANNAPOLIS, *where Mr.* Anderson *formerly kept Tavern*,

SUNDRY EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS; for Bills of Exchange, Paper Currency, or Sterling.

3 ALEXANDER & ANDREW SYMMER.

THE Reverend Mr. MALCOLM does hereby let the Subscribers, for his LATIN GRAMMAR, know, That the First Volume is ready to be delivered to them, at Mr. *Green's* PRINTING-OFFICE in *Annapolis*, either in Sheets, Stitched, or Bound; they paying for the Stitching or Binding. 3

TO BE SOLD, as usual, at the Warehouse of CHARLES CARROLL, *Esq; in* Annapolis,

BAR-IRON of all Sizes, Plough-Shear Moulds, *&c. &c.* by

3 RICHARD MACKUBIN.

THOMAS WILLS,
BARBER and PERUKE-MAKER,
From LONDON,
At his Shop near the Inspection-House in BALTIMORE-TOWN,

UNDERTAKES to serve all Gentlemen, who shall be pleased to favour him with their Employ, in WIGS of all Kinds and Fashions, as undernoted: In which Particular he promises they shall be as good as from *London*, as he has now purchased a large Stock of *English* Hairs of all Colours, and as he proposes to keep the best Workmen in his Employ, and to regulate his Fashions by the Mode from *London*: He makes no Doubt of giving entire Satisfaction, both in the Goodness and Cheapness of his Work, which will be considerably under the *London* Prices:——Full Dress Wigs of all Kinds from 1*l.* 10*s.* to 5*l.* Currency. Cut Bobs and Ques of all Kinds from 1*l.* 10*s.* to 5*l.* Currency.

The Method he proposes to take in answering his Commissions is, That the Gentlemen forward their Orders to himself, or to any of their Friends living in *Baltimore-Town*, expressing the Colour and Fashion of the Wig, and Dimensions of the Caul, and the Price about which they would have them, and he will immediately on Receipt thereof, have the Wigs made up, agreeable to the Directions, and sent by the first Opportunity; and on Receipt of the Wigs, the first Cost and other Charges to be paid. And that the Gentlemen may be the better satisfied that Justice is done them in the Prices, if they don't please at Sight, they are not bound to take them from

Their most humble Servant,
THOMAS WILLS.

N. B. The Measure to be taken from the Peak to the Neck, and round the Head; either sent, or the Inches mentioned. 3

Upper-Marlborough, June 4, 1757.

STOLEN from the Subscriber's Plantation, near *Herring-Bay*, in the Night of Wednesday the 25th of *May*, a middle-siz'd Brown Mare, about 13 Hands high, she has a blazed Face, her hind Feet white, and branded on the near Buttock H. Whoever brings the said Mare to the Subscriber, shall have Twenty Shillings; and Three Pounds Reward for discovering and securing the Thief, so that he may be brought to Justice. 3 J. HEPBURN.

STRAY'D from the Plantation of Captain *Kensey Johns*, at *West-River*, a Brown Bay Horse, about 12½ or 13 Hands high, has a Bob Tail, and is supposed to be near 5 Years old.

Whoever has found him, and will bring him to *West-River*, shall have Ten Shillings Reward. 3

To be Sold by the Subscriber, for ready Money, at Mr. Carroll's *Warehouse, in* Annapolis,

CHOICE good white Sugar at 10*d. per* Pound, Salt at 3/9 *per* Bushel, Mahogany Bureaus, Corner Cupboards, Desks, and Square Tables. 10 FRANCIS FAIRBROTHER.

THE Subscriber having by a great Application acquired a reasonable Knowledge of the ENGLISH GRAMMAR, he proposes to Teach the same at the FREE SCHOOL of *Annapolis*. Those Parents who cannot afford their Sons spending several Years in the learning of *Greek* and *Latin*, may, by this Proposal, procure to them the only Benefit commonly expected from these Languages, THE LEARNING OF THEIR OWN: Besides, their Daughters can as easily enjoy the same Advantage. As he does not take upon himself to Teach *English* Pronunciation (which will be Taught, as usual, by Mr. *Wilmot*) he hopes no judicious Person will make any Objection to his being a Foreigner; and that, as his Proposal is of a self-evident Advantage to Youth, he will meet with good Encouragement. His Terms are very moderate, being only Thirty Shillings, additionally to what is allowed to Mr. *Wilmot*.

WILLIAM CLAJON.

N. B. This will make no Alteration to the Price given me for Teaching *French*, *Latin* and *Greek*.

ANDREW THOMPSON,
ROPE-MAKER,
In Annapolis, *who formerly lived with Mr.* James Dick, *in* London-Town,

IS now removed to Mr. *John Golder's*, next the Town-Gate, where he carries on the ROPE-MAKING BUSINESS in all it's Branches, and where all Persons may be supplied with ROPES of any Kind, black or white: And all those who shall be pleased to favour him with their Custom, may depend on being faithfully served with the best of Ropes, by

Their most humble Servant,
ANDREW THOMPSON.

N. B. He has plenty of TRACES and PLOUGH-LINES by him, which he will sell at the most reasonable Rates.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living near *Pig-Point*, in *Anne-Arundel* County, some Time in *January* last, Two Country-born Negro Men; the one called *Ned*, and the other *Will*: They are both young active Fellows, and it is supposed have been harboured for some Time in the Neighbourhood. One of the said Negroes has got the following Cloaths with him, *viz.* one red and white striped Waistcoat, one Pair of Cherriderry Trowsers, one Pair of white Trowsers, one Pair of Cloth Breeches, one fine white Linen Shirt, one Pair of white Cotton Stockings, one Pair of black Leather Shoes, Shoe Buckles, and a pretty good Hat with Gold Lace set round the Brim, besides Working Cloaths; from whence it is thought that they may endeavour to go to some other Province.

Whoever takes up the said Negroes, and secures them in any Goal, shall have a Reward of Forty Shillings for each, besides what the Law allows.

SUSANNA JOBSON.

WHEREAS the Subscriber has made a Practice, for some Time past, of Letting out of Horses, *&c.* for Hire, to Travellers; but having had several Kill'd, and others very much Abused, he is determined to Hire out no more, of which he gives this Public Notice, that no Body may be disappointed in expecting them from him.

N. B. He keeps Ferry as usual; and has good Boats to carry Passengers either up the Bay, or down to any Part of *Virginia*.

JAMES HUTCHINGS.

THE Subscriber intending for *London* this Summer, requests all Persons indebted to him to come and make Payment, or settle their 3 Accounts by Note, or Bond: And those who have any just Demands against him, are desired to come and receive Payment of the same.

JAMES WARDROP.

JOHN BENNETT, in ANNAPOLIS, sells all Sorts of manufactured TOBACCO, in 4 small or large Quantities.

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